

ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

BID OPENING: THURSDAY, MAY 24, 2007 AT 11:00 A.M. (M.S.T.)

TRACS NO 087 MA 194 H521101C
PROJ NO HES-NH-087-B(009)B
TERMINI MESA – PAYSON HIGHWAY. (SR 87)
LOCATION Forest Boundary – New Four Peaks

ROUTE NO.	MILEPOST	DISTRICT	ITEM NO.
SR 87	194.10 to 203.82	Phoenix	13406

The amount programmed for this contract is \$ 21,500,000. The location and description of the proposed work and the representative items and approximate quantities are as follows:

The proposed work is located in Maricopa County on State Route 87, beginning at MP 194.10 extending northeasterly to MP 203.82 (exception area MP 201.11 to MP 202.73) for a distance of approximately 8.10 miles. The project is a widening of an existing divided highway for shoulders and turn lanes that includes construction of a new traffic interchange at MP 199.1 (Bush Highway). The project consists of roadway excavation, grading, draining, and paving the existing roadway with a new precast prestressed concrete girder bridge, extending eight existing reinforced concrete box culverts, erosion control, re-vegetation of existing cacti, signing, striping and other miscellaneous work.

REPRESENTATIVE ITEMS	UNIT	QUANTITY
Roadway Excavation	CU.YD.	557,941
Furnish Water	M.GAL.	40,000
Aggregate Base, Class 2	CU.YD.	30,970
Bituminous Materials	TON	1,987
Asphaltic Concrete (3/4" Mix)	TON	49,272
Asphaltic Concrete Friction Course (Asph-Rubber)	TON	6,720
Asphalt Rubber Material (For AR-ACFC)	TON	484
Pipe, Corrugated Metal (Various Sizes)	L.FT.	5,435
Temporary Concrete Barrier (Install and Remove)	L.FT.	96,436
Seeding (Class II)	ACRE	157
Casing (Various Sizes-Steel)(Jacked and Bored)	L.FT.	329
Erosion Control (Wattles)(9")	L.FT.	65,000
Barbed Wire Fence, Type 1	L.FT.	55,031
Contractor Quality Control	L.SUM	1
Construction Survey and Layout	L.SUM	1
Extend Reinforced Concrete Box Culverts	EACH	8
Construct AASHTO Girder Bridge	L.SUM	1

The time allowed for the completion of the work included in the Construction Phase of the contract will be **320** working days.

The time allowed for the completion of the work included in the Landscape Establishment Phase of the contract will be **730** calendar days.

The Arizona Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that pursuant to this advertisement for bids, Disadvantaged Business Enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this solicitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin in consideration for an award.

Project plans, special provisions, and proposal pamphlets may be purchased from Contracts and Specifications Section, 1651 W. Jackson, Room 121F, Phoenix, AZ 85007-3217, (602) 712-7221. Plans and bidding documents should be available for sale to bidders within one week following the advertisement for bids. The cost is **\$ 250**, payable at time of order by cash, check or money order. Please indicate whether a bid proposal package or a subcontractor/supplier set is desired. An additional fee of \$5.00 will be charged for each set of Special Provisions requested which is not accompanied by the purchase of a related set of project plans. Checks should be made payable to the Arizona Department of Transportation. No refund will be made for plans and specifications returned. We cannot guarantee mail delivery.

This project is eligible for electronic bidding.

Cross sections and/or earthwork quantity sheets, if available, may be ordered from the Control Desk of Roadway Design Section at (602) 712-8667. Orders must be placed at least five days prior to bid opening to insure availability. Documents may be picked up and paid for at Contracts & Specifications Section.

No contracting firm will be issued a proposal pamphlet until it has become prequalified. The Application for Contractor Prequalification shall be filed at least 15 calendar days prior to the bid opening date. The Application may be obtained from Contracts and Specifications Section.

No award will be made to any contractor who is not a duly licensed contractor in accordance with Arizona Revised Statutes 32-1101 through 32-1170.03.

All labor employed on this project shall be paid in accordance with the minimum wage rates shown in the General Wage Decision. These rates have been determined in accordance with the requirements of the law and issued by the Secretary of Labor for this project. The wage scale is on file in Contracts and Specifications Section and copies may be obtained at all reasonable times.

A proposal guaranty in the form of either a certified or a cashier's check made payable to the State Treasurer of Arizona for not less than ten percent of the amount of the bid or in the form of a surety (bid) bond for ten percent of the amount of the bid shall accompany the proposal.

Surety (bid) bonds will be accepted only on the form provided by the Department and only from corporate sureties authorized to do business in Arizona.

Proposal pamphlets shall be submitted only in the envelope provided by the Department to:

Arizona Department of Transportation
Intermodal Transportation Division
Contracts and Specifications Section
1651 West Jackson Street, Room 121F
Phoenix, Arizona 85007-3217

Sealed bids will be received until the hour indicated and then publicly opened and read.
No bids will be received after the time specified.

Engineering Specialist:	Jim Skonhovd	(602) 712-6741
Construction Supervisor:	Michael Harrington	(602) 712-2300

BARRY CROCKETT,
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